UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

CENGAGE LEARNING, INC.
(f/k/a THOMSON LEARNING, INC.)
PEARSON EDUCATION, INC.
JOHN WILEY & SONS, INC., and
THE MCGRAW-HILL COMPANIES, INC.

Plaintiffs,

FED. R. CIV. P. 7.1 STATEMENT

-against-

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BUCKEYE BOOKS, USED BOOK EXCHANGE, TEXTBOOKSRUS.COM., LLC, and PHILIP SMYRES,

Defendants.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for <u>Plaintiff Cengage Learning</u>, Inc. (a private non-governmental party) certifies that Plaintiff Cengage Learning, Inc. is a not subsidiary of any publicly held corporation and there is no public company which owns 10% or more of Cengage Learning Inc.'s stock.

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